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SUBJ: POSSIBLE KOSYGIN VISIT TO WARSAW

1. SOVIET EMBASSY COUNSELOR STANISLAW KORSHUNOV PHONED AN EMBASSY OFFICER ON DECEMBER 13 TO EXCUSE HIMSELF FROM A PREVIOUSLY-ACCEPTED INVITATION. KORSHUNOV SAID THAT THE SOVIET "PRIME MINISTER" (PRESUMABLY KOSYGIN) IS SCHEDULED TO ARRIVE IN WARSAW LATER TODAY FOR THREE DAYS OF TALKS.

2. COMMENT: AS OF LATE FRIDAY, DECEMBER 10, THE SOVIET EMBASSY APPARENTLY DID NOT KNOW ABOUT THE VISIT. THERE HAS BEEN NO ANNOUNCEMENT IN THE POLISH PRESS, ALTHOUGH ON SUNDAY, DECEMBER 12, SOVIET AND POLISH FLAGS BEGAN TO GO UP ON STREETS NEAR THE SOVIET EMBASSY. FOR THE MOMENT, WE CAN OFFER NO EXPLANATION FOR WHAT APPEARS TO BE A SURPRISE VISIT FOR EVERYONE. END COMMENT.
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